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Virginia Air Line to Run Trains
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Few Weeks.

NEW LIFE IN O'D FLUVANNA

Evidences of Development Al-
ready Noticeable and New En-
terprises Will Come.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

AMHERST, VA., February 1.—Captain T. O. Troy, president of the Virginia Air Line Railway Company, while at home here this week recovering from an operation for appendicitis, talked quite freely to your correspondent about the new railway which he is building.

The Virginia Air Line Railway extends from Lindsay in Louisa county, on the main road of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, to Palmyra, on the James River division of the same railway, a distance of twenty-odd miles, mostly through Fluvanna county. Captain Troy said that the work of construction was progressing favorably, the track having been laid half way from Palmyra to Lindsay, and within a few weeks trains will be operating between Lindsay and Palmyra. The entire line is under construction for completion by May 1st, though there may be a few weeks delay in completing the last section.

Will Build Road.
Captain Troy, speaking generally of the new road, said:

"The Virginia Air Line Railway has endeavored to avoid some of the mistakes that frequently attend the construction of small roads, such as bad location, light material and excessive grades. On the contrary, the line is being constructed throughout on the basis of standard methods, with eighty-five pound steel rails, stone ballast, steel bridges, and such grades and curvature as will permit of any class of traffic.

"Evidence of development along the new line are already noticeable, and the company expects the country contiguous to its road, where so many valuable water powers have been sleeping."

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CHANGE IN SCHEDULE.
C. AND O. RAILWAY.
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2.

Effective Sunday, February 2d, C. and O. train No. 19, leaving Richmond at 10:00 A. M., will leave Richmond instead at 9:00 A. M., running daily to Charlottesville, and daily except Sunday to Clinton Forge. Local train from the East will arrive Richmond 8:50 A. M. instead of 9:40 A. M., and James River train at 6:50 P. M. instead of 6:45 P. M.

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ing for years, to become one of extensive manufacturing. This will not only be true as to the section immediately traversed by the Virginia Air Line, but as to the James River section both east and west from the point of intersection at Brems with the James River division of the Chesapeake and Ohio.

May Be Extended South.

"In fact, many people think that the building of the Virginia Air Line Railway means a great deal more than the public generally have heretofore thought. The distance from Lynchburg to Washington via the Virginia Air Line will be only about twenty-eight miles further than via the Southern Railway. As a freight and passenger route from Lynchburg and intervening points to the North and East, the Virginia Air Line Railway will furnish a link for the further development of the section of the country to be affected. The same may be said as to Buckingham county, Farmville and the section beyond. Already your correspondent learns much interest is being manifested in the direction of Arvonia, Farmville and Danville in a further extension of the Virginia Air Line to these points. Your correspondent fears that a survey of this route will probably be undertaken in the early spring.

Has Co-operation of C. & O.

Much of this, of course, will depend upon the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, whose Buckingham and James River Division line would have to be used for a complete development of this undertaking. But this corporation so far, in its assurances of the extension of the Virginia Air Line Railway every reasonable encouragement, and it is therefore but fair to assume that in the harmonious efforts of the operations of the Air Line the full and free co-operation of the Chesapeake and Ohio, within the limits, of course, of its own interest, may be expected.

Captain Troy incidentally remarked to your correspondent that the Virginia Air Line Railway Company was the first standard railway ever constructed in Virginia with capital raised entirely from a distance, not one dollar's subscription having been solicited or secured from the sections traversed.

LYNCHBURG'S GOOD PRICES.

Receipts Not So Large, But That Received, Sell Well.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
"LYNCHBURG, VA., February 1.—The receipts this week were very much lighter than last, caused by the cold, dry weather of the past few weeks. The condition and quality of the tobacco offered, was about as for several weeks past. The trade continues quite active and prices on all grades were fully up to quotations.

Prices were as follows: Lugs, common, \$5.50 to \$6.50; lugs, good, \$6.75 to \$8; leaf, common, \$7 to \$8.25; leaf, medium, \$8.50 to \$9.50; leaf, good, \$9.50 to \$12; leaf, fine, \$12 to \$15; wrappers, \$15 to \$25.

Sale of loose tobacco on the Lynchburg market for the two weeks ending January 31st, reported by John I. Oglesby, of Lynch's warehouse, were as follows: Solid week ending January 24th, \$72,300 pounds; sold week ending January 31st, 360,800 pounds; decrease week ending January 31st, 511,500; sold from September 1, 1907, to January 31, 1908, 10,440,300 pounds; decrease for 1908, 5,345,500 pounds.

To Be in Basic City.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Editor of The Times-Dispatch:—Sir, Under date of January 25th you have a letter from Frank S. Woodson, in which he says a large plant for the manufacture of machinery, called the American Contracting Company, will locate on the Belt Line in Waynesboro, Va. The above plant will come to Basic City. It could not locate in Waynesboro on the Belt Line Railroad, as that happens to be in Basic City, Va. Having known your excellent paper so long, I am sure you will gladly correct the above through your columns. BASIC City, Va.

NEWS OF HAMPSDEN-SIDNEY.

January Issue of Magazine a Fine One

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
HAMPSDEN-SIDNEY COLLEGE, VA., February 1.—The January issue of the Hampden-Sidney Magazine is just out and is an unusually full number. As a leading article it contains the address delivered by Professor George Walker, of Blacksburg, before the students at the opening of the session.

Besides the articles contributed by the students, there are two historical sketches of interest by Dr. Alfred J. Morrison, of the class of '95.

The quarterly bulletin is also in hand, and contains a general review of the session up to the present time and a number of notes of interest about the college and her alumni.

The intersociety debate between the Union and Philanthropic Literary Societies took place this evening. The subject is "Resolved, That United States Senators be Elected by the People."

Representing the Union Society are Messrs. T. K. Young, of Kayford, W. Va., and T. Brooke Price, of Charleston, W. Va.; the Philanthropic is represented by Messrs. W. Dixon Foster, of Norfolk, and R. Lee Chambliss, of Rawlins, Va.

FARMERS AND BUSINESS MEN.

Centre District Branch Holds Annual Meeting and Elects Officers.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WARRENTON, VA., February 1.—The Centre District Branch of the Farmers' and Business Men's Association held a very important meeting on Wednesday afternoon in the office of Mr. L. D. Passano, Jr., for the election of officers for the ensuing year. The officers elected were as follows: Chairman, Mr. D. P. Wood; Treasurer, Mr. Amos F. Payne; Secretary, Mr. Jno. B. Grayson. A number of very important matters were taken up, and it is understood that the association has under consideration a matter that will prove a great improvement to the town.

Mr. W. T. Willis has purchased the property on Main Street belonging to

Mr. H. C. Fisher, and will take possession March 1st.

MERCHANTS TO ORGANIZE.

Those of South Boston to Form an Association for Protection.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
SOUTH BOSTON, VA., February 1.—There will soon be in South Boston an organization known as the Retail Merchants' Credit Association. The object will be to protect themselves from one of the most serious problems of the age, viz., being imposed upon by some people who buy goods in good faith, and either take their own time about paying for them or never pay at all.

The merchants will meet Monday night, at which time officers will be elected and a permanent organization effected.

Barton Heights.

Mr. William D. Long, of Newport News, is visiting his mother, Mrs. S. E. Long, of North Avenue.

Miss L. O. Wendenburg, of Robert Street, has left for a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ly Brand, in Jacksonville, Fla.

Mr. James Smith, of Baltimore, who has been visiting Mr. Frank Thompson, of North Avenue, has returned to his home.

Miss Martha Moore, after a very pleasant visit to her aunt in Miller Avenue, has returned to her home in Raleigh.

Mr. Cullen Cosby, who has been visiting at Mattox's, has returned to his home in Virginia Avenue.

The Tuesday evening german, given by Miss Clara Long in the assembly hall, was a great social success. Those dancing were Misses Gibson, Fox, McDonald, O'Brien, Hazelgrove, Knapp, Willis, Thompson, Gresham, Gillespie, Ray, Ramsdell, Woodward, Snyder, Foster, Mrs. Gillespie, and Messrs. Hazelgrove, Jones, Howell, Crouch, C. Rudy, Rose, Woodson, Allen, Brady, Stern, Knight, Harris, Gillespie, Boone, Muelly, Tiller, Long and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kuyk have returned

from their wedding trip, and were the guests of relatives here this week.

Mrs. George H. Ware, who has been visiting in the home of Mr. Thomas Collins, in King and Queen, has returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Ryland and family have moved from Lamb Avenue to Dinger Park, where they will make their home in the future.

The young ladies of Barton Heights will give a leap year german on the evening of Friday, 21st. The ladies escorted to the young men of the Heights and their friends in the vicinity.

Mr. George Westley, who has been visiting his friend, Mr. Charles Tompkins, of North Avenue, has left for his home in Norfolk.

Miss Alice Wozniak, who was resident of the Heights two years ago, has returned to her home on Summit Avenue, where she will spend this winter. She has been staying with her sister in Greenwood.

Mr. W. D. Hyde, of Pittsburgh, Pa., who has been visiting his niece, Miss Zaida Towells, of Monterey Avenue, has returned.

Mrs. N. B. Croxon, who has been spending the past two weeks with her brother, Mr. P. W. Lewis in Hanover, has returned.

Miss Fannie M. Walton, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Smith, in North Avenue, has returned to Newport News.

Mr. Frank Williams, of Boston, who has been visiting his aunt in Miller Avenue, has returned.

Mrs. P. M. Connor, who has been visiting in Louisa, Va., has returned.

Mr. J. G. Watkins, who has been visiting friends in Louisa, has returned.

Mrs. C. H. Broadus has returned to his home from a business trip to Philadelphia.

Miss Indle Goodwyn, who has been visiting relatives in Petersburg, has returned to her home in Lamb Avenue.

Virginia Croxon, of Monterey Avenue, is spending some time with relatives in Hanover.

On Friday evening the home of Miss Julia Smith and Edna Griffin was the scene of a delightful leap year party, given in honor of their guest, Miss Hughes of Lamb Ave. The parlors were most artistically decorated in cut flowers and evergreen. Until a late hour games and music were indulged in, after which delightful refreshments were served. The successful prize winner was Miss Grace Chamberlain.

Among those present were Misses Pearl Hughes, Grace Chamberlain, Ollie Snyder, Elizabeth Jeter, May Wood, Marie Baughman, Lammie Lee, Edna Griffin, and children. Wood, Little Baughman, Julia Smithers and Anna Griffin, and Messrs. Watkins, Saunders, Wood, Satterwhite, Satter, Dunaway, in Harvery, Bowles, C. W. Rudy, Holland, Meade and Wilkinson.

The minstrel show to be given on February 2d by local talent for the benefit of the Mothers' Club, under the direction of Mr. W. H. Farrar, is expected to be an event of much interest on the Heights. The cast will be composed of the following: Messrs. W. K. Bache, Jr., Bache, Bruce, Harvey, Charles Bigger, Evans and Fred Davidson, F. S. Jones and F. S. Jones, Jr., Eddie Ragland, Clinton Boyd, A. W. Macgustein, Allen Brady, E. G. Wigginton, J. A. Redd and Mr. Whitmore.

Miss Pauline Glass has returned to her home in Petersburg after a pleasant visit to her friend, Miss Jennie Moore, of North Avenue.

Mrs. P. M. Connor, who has been spending the past two weeks with friends and relatives in Louisa, has returned.

Mrs. Saunders, who has been spending some time with her sister in Luck Avenue, has left for her home in Wilson, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Clara Scholer and children have returned to Lawrenceburg, Ind., after a very pleasant visit at the home of Mr. A. W. Martenstein, of Miller Avenue.

Mrs. J. B. Woodward, of Lamb Avenue, is visiting relatives in Petersburg.

Roll of honor for Barton Heights School for week ending January 27, 1908:

Fifth B—Emily Tiller.

Fifth A—Lucy Duval, Josephine Herndon, Edwin Roden.

Fourth B—Lillie Mae Kelly.

Fourth A—Pearl Meyer, Mary Straher, Third B—Frank Carpenter, Virginia Cridlin, Jessie Lee Poole.

Third A—Allen Snyder, Percy Cathcart, Second B—Elizabeth Smart, Irving Gordon, Gunnette Poole, Carter White.

Second A—Clarence Greene, David Hotchkiss, Eddie Flood.

First B—Dwight Carpenter, Mildred Ragland, Margaret Whitmoyer, Tyron Watkins, Lewis Watkins, Bob Meek.

First A—Atwell Higginson, Jack Collins, Rheta Hunter, Josephine Patterson, Gladys Reischer, Walter Lipp, Leo Fletcher.

Scottsville Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
SCOTTSVILLE, VA., February 1.—The Afternoon Whist Club, recently organized here, had its first meeting on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and was delightfully entertained by Mrs. E. Lansing Fox.

The club is composed entirely of ladies, and numbers a dozen members. These are Mrs. E. Lansing Fox, president; Mrs. W. Douglas Patterson, Mrs. Frank Parkinson, Mrs. Virginia Bowles, Misses Annie Farrar, Pearl and Lillie Jeffries, Sarah Carrington, Clara Patterson, Alexina Harrison, Mary Fox and Elaine Pleasant. Refreshments of fruits, salad and cake were served to the guests by the

hostess, assisted by Misses Mary Fox and Pearl Jeffries.

Dr. B. L. Dillard entertained at cards last week. The following guests spent a most enjoyable evening: Mr. and Mrs. Nathan T. Scholer, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fox, Miss Mary Fox, Messrs. Conrad Boyd, James Dorrier and W. Loughly Rhodes.

A leap year dance was given at the Horseshoe Club rooms on the evening of Friday, 21st. The ladies escorted the gentlemen thither and provided amusement and refreshments for them after their arrival.

Mr. W. E. Burgess, owner and manager of the Idlewood Studio, has made and presented to the Scottsville high school a large and beautiful framed picture of the "Horseshoe Bend." It is a very handsome piece of work.

Mr. G. Mason Dillard, of Norfolk, spent several days at Chester last week.

Mr. Marlon Pitts visited "Belle Haven" Sunday.

Mr. Boyd Scruggs is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mr. John D. Staples has purchased a lot on Driver's Hill and expects at an early date to have a residence erected upon it.

Mr. Robert Durrett visited Scottsville Saturday.

Miss Lizzie Briggs, who has been enjoying a brief visit to friends in Lynchburg, has returned home.

Mrs. R. J. Heath left Sunday to join her husband, who has located at Lovington, Va.

Miss Sue Raine and Master Edward

Raine visited the Misses Dillard at "Rivermont" on Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Dabney Moore, of West Virginia, has been spending some time with his sister, Miss Hannah E. Moore, on Valley Street.

Mr. G. Tyler Goodwin visited Richmond this week.

Mr. F. C. Moon was in Scottsville Tuesday.

Mr. Ryland Fox is suffering from a painful accident which befell him a few days ago. While holding a cat it suddenly threw its head around, striking him in the face and giving some bad cuts and bruises.

Mr. C. B. Harris visited Batesville this week.

Mr. Richard Mathews is quite sick with the grip.

Mr. C. R. Odor passed through Scottsville a few days ago.

Dillwyn Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
DILLWYN, VA., February 1.—Misses Myrtle and Agnes Anderson, of this place, entertained a number of friends at their home on Friday evening.

Among those present were Misses Ruth Grigs, Gertrude Charlton, Julia and Alma Prior, Messrs. Harry Leonard Fitzgerald, Herman Price and Wyatt Fitzgerald.

Mrs. A. W. Moore is visiting friends in Louisa, Va.

Miss Beulah Davis has returned to the village after spending a week with friends, near Rival, Va.

Miss Ruth Grigs left Saturday for her home at Buckingham Courthouse.

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